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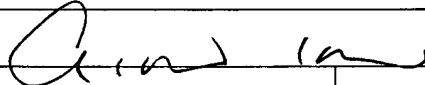
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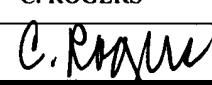
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
Applicati on Type	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	500
Design	200	100	100	50	135	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
SUBTOTAL (1)				\$			1,020

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
50	25	Each claim in excess of 20 or, for Reissues, each claim in excess of 20 and more than in the original patent	500
200	100	Each Independent claim in excess of 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	920*
360	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not already paid	1,510

Extra Claims		Fee from above	Fee Paid	
Total Claims	11	-20** =	x	=
Independent Claims	1	-3** =	x	=
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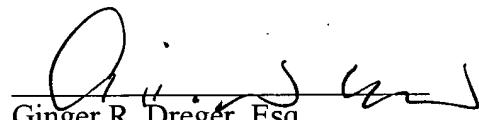
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Applicants hereby petition for a five (5) month extension of time from the date of filing the Notice of Appeal. This petition is filed to maintain copendency for a continuation application being filed today.

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